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Enclosed are the following papers:

Specification, Claims and Abstract, 15 pages total.

Drawings: 2 sheets. (Informal).

Declaration (Executed).

A check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed, based upon the calculation below.

Preliminary Amendment with corrected pages

Basic Fee \$	710.00
Total Claims $19 - 20 = x $ \$ 18.00 = \$.00	
Independent Claims $4 - 3 = 1 \times \$80.00 = \80.00	
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Fee for Application	\$ 790.00
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TOTAL FEES DUE 790.00

The applicant(s) authorizes the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) to treat any paper that is filed in this application which requires an extension of time as incorporating a request for such an extension.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee required by any paper submitted in this application (including the fee for any additional extension of time) or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0809.

Respectfully submitted,

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